

Common Exception Words.

These words don't follow any spelling pattern so your child needs to be able to recognise and remember how to spell them. Below are the exception words that each year group will be expected to spell by the end of the year. I

Year 1-

the, a, do, to, today, of, said, says, are, were, was, is, his, has, I, you, your, they, be, he, me, she, we, no, go, so, by, my, here, there, where, love, come, some, one, once, ask, friend, school, put, push, pull, full, house, our.

Year 2-

door, floor, poor, because, find, kind, mind, behind, child, children*, wild, climb, most, only, both, old, cold, gold, hold, told, every, everybody, even, great, break, steak, pretty, beautiful, after, fast, last, past, father, class, grass, pass, plant, path, bath, hour, move, prove, improve, sure, sugar, eye, could, should, would, who, whole, any, many, clothes, busy, people, water, again, half, money, Mr, Mrs, parents, Christmas.

Years 3 and	complete	famous	island	peculiar	sentence
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<u>4</u>	consider continue decide describe different difficult disappear early earth eight/eighth enough exercise experience experiment extreme	favourite February forward(s) fruit grammar group guard guide heard heart height history imagine increase important interest	knowledge learn length library material medicine mention minute natural naughty notice occasion(ally) often opposite ordinary particular	perhaps popular position possess(ion) possible potatoes pressure probably promise purpose quarter question recent regular reign remember	separate special straight strange strength suppose surprise therefore though/althoug h thought through various weight woman/women
<u>Year 5 and 6</u>	communicat e accommodate	environment equip	individual interfere	prejudice privilege	stomach sufficient

accompany	community	equipped	interrupt	profession	suggest
according	competition	equipment	language	programme	symbol
achieve	conscience*	especially	leisure	pronunciation	system
aggressive	conscious*	exaggerate	lightning	queue	temperature
amateur	controversy	excellent	marvellous	recommend	thorough
ancient	convenience	existence	mischiefous	recognise	twelfth
apparent	correspond	explanation	muscle	relevant	variety
appreciate	criticise	familiar	necessary	restaurant	vegetable
attached	(critic + ise)	foreign	neighbour	rhyme	vehicle
available	curiosity	forty	nuisance	rhythm	yacht
average	definite	frequently	occupy	sacrifice	
awkward	desperate	government	occur	secretary	
bargain	determined	guarantee	opportunity	shoulder	
bruise	develop	harass	parliament	signature	
category	dictionary	hindrance	persuade	sincere(ly)	
cemetery	disastrous	identity	physical	soldier	
committee	embarrass	immediate(ly)			